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NNN      NNN      EEEEEEEEEEEEEEE  TTTTTTTTTTTTTTT  AAAAAAAAAAA  CCCCCCCCCCCC  PPPPPPPPPPPP
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NNNN      NN      SS      PP      PP  MM      MM      SS      GG      DD      DD  EE      FF
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MODULE \$nspmsgdef

NSPMSGDEF.SDL - NSP and Transport Message Definitions  
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A thumbnail sketch of the NSP message formats is as follows:

<0eb0 0000><4b_LINK><2b_ACK><2b_SEG><DATA>	DATA MSG
<0011 0000><4b_LINK><2b_ACK><2b_SEG><u16_DATA>	INT. MSG
<0001 0000><4b_LINK><2b_ACK><2b_SEG><2b_FLOW>	L.S. MSG

<0000 0100><4b_LINK><2b_ACK>	DATA ACK
<0001 0100><4b_LINK><2b_ACK>	OTH. ACK
<0010 0100><2b_DST>	CA

<0001 1000><2k_0><2b_SRC><1b_SRV><1b_INFO><2b_SEGSIZ><CTL>	CI
<0010 1000><4b_LINK><2b_SRV><2b_INFO><2b_SEGSIZ><i16_DATA>	CC
<0011 1000><4b_LINK><2b_REA><i16_DATA>	DI
<0100 1000><4b_LINK><2b_REA>	DC
<0100 1000><2b_DST><2k_0><2k_1>	CT
<0100 1000><4b_LINK><2k_42>	DT
<0100 1000><4b_LINK><2k_41>	NLT

<0101 1000>-----	START
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<4b_LINK	::=	<2b_DST><2b_SRC>	link address, not = 0
<2b_ACK	::=	<1001><12 bit seg number>	if NAK
		<1000><12 bit seg number>	if ACK
<2b_SEG>	::=	<0000><12 bit seg number>	
<2b_FLOW>	::=	<0000><2 bit subchannel><2 bit mode><1 byte count>	
		0 => data	00 => no change
		1 => interrupt	01 => stop
			10 => start

<1b_SRV>	::=	<00000001>	if no flow control
		<00000101>	if segment flow control
		<00001001>	if message flow control
<1b_INFO>	::=	<00000001>	if NSP V3.1
		<00000000>	if NSP V3.2

<CTL>	::=	<DNAME><SNAME><00vv00da><ACCOUNT><i16_DATA>	
			if a if d
		vv = Session control version	
		0 = Version 1.0	
		All other are reserved	
		<DNAME> ::= <NAME>	
		<SNAME> ::= <NAME>	
		<NAME> ::= <1k_0><1b_objtyp> objtyp not= 0	
		<1k_1><1k_0><i16_desc>	
		<1k_2><1k_0><2b_gcod><2b_ucod><i12_desc>	
		<ACCT> ::= <i39_id><i39_psw><i39_acc>	

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AGGREGATE nspmsg STRUCTURE PREFIX nsp$ TAG $$;
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END qual_ack;
qual_srv      STRUCTURE TAG $$:
    srv_01     BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 2;
    srv_flw    BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 2;
    CONSTANT   srv_nfc EQUALS 0 TAG c;
    CONSTANT   srv_sfc EQUALS 1 TAG c;
    CONSTANT   srv_mfc EQUALS 2 TAG c;
    srv_sp1     BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 3;
    srv_ext     BITFIELD MASK;
    CONSTANT   srv_req EQUALS XB11110011 TAG m;
    CONSTANT   srv_req EQUALS XB00000001 TAG c;
END qual_srv;

qual_inf      STRUCTURE TAG $$:
    inf_ver     BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 2;
    CONSTANT   inf_v32 EQUALS 0 TAG c;
    CONSTANT   inf_v31 EQUALS 1 TAG c;
    CONSTANT   inf_v33 EQUALS 2 TAG c;
END qual_inf;

qual_flw      STRUCTURE TAG $$:
    flw_mode     BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 2;
    CONSTANT   flw_nop EQUALS 0 TAG c;
    CONSTANT   flw_xoff EQUALS 1 TAG c;
    CONSTANT   flw_xon EQUALS 2 TAG c;
    flw_chan     BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 2;
    CONSTANT   flw_data EQUALS 0 TAG c;
    CONSTANT   flw_int EQUALS 1 TAG c;
    flw_drv      BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 4;
END qual_flw;

qual_altflw   STRUCTURE TAG $$:
    {
    { These flags define the LSFLAGS in an alternate way to "qual_flw"
    { above. It depicts the same information, but takes advantage of
    { the fact that not all values of the 2-bit fields are used and hence
    { 1-bit flags can be used rather than constants.
    {
    { The first 4 bits are part of NSP. The last 4 bits are Netdriver
    { internal flags.
    {
    flw_xoff     BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 1;
    flw_xon      BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 1;

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{ ACK and not just a segment #
{
{ Qualifiers to SERVICES field
{ in CI and CC messages
{ Must be value "01"
{ Receiver's flow control mode
{ no flow control
{ segment flow control
{ message flow control
{ Reserved bits
{ Set if field extends to next
{ byte
{ Mask of SERVICE bits which
{ must have a known value
{ ...that known value
{
{
{ Qualifiers to INFO field in
{ CI and CC messages
{ NSP version number
{ Version 3.2
{ Version 3.1
{ Version 3.3
{ "3" is reserved
{
{
{ Link Service message LSFLAGS
{ field definition
{ Back-pressure value field
{ no-change
{ stop flow
{ start flow
{ "3" is reserved
{ Sub channel selector
{ Data subchannel
{ Interrupt subchannel
{ "2" and "3" are reserved
{ Define the remainder of the
{ field for Netdriver internal
{ flags
{
{
{ Alternate Link Service
{ message LSFLAGS

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{ Stop flow on DATA subchannel
{ Start

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flw_lisub  BITFIELD  MASK  LENGTH 1; { Flow control count is for the
flw_sp1    BITFIELD  MASK  LENGTH 1; { Link Service/Interrupt, and
flw_inuse  BITFIELD  MASK  LENGTH 1; { not the DATA, subchannel
flw_int    BITFIELD  MASK  LENGTH 1; { Spare
flw_sp2    BITFIELD  MASK  LENGTH 1; { XWBSB_X_FLW is in use
flw_sp3    BITFIELD  MASK  LENGTH 1; { XWBSB_X_FLW describes an
END qual_altflw; { "Interrupt", not a "Link-
                  { Service", message
                  { Spare
                  { Spare

END qual;

END nspmsg ;
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## Phase III Routing Message Definitions

The following is a thumbnail sketch of the possibilities for the first byte in a received message:

<0000 1000>	Phase II NOP
<0101 1000>	Phase II Start
<0100 xx10>	Phase II route header
<000x x010>	Phase III route header
<000x x010>	Phase IV non-broadcast circuit route header
<00xx 0x10>	Phase IV broadcast circuit route header
<0000 0001>	Phase III init
<0000 0011>	Phase III verification
<0000 0101>	Phase III hello message
<0000 0111>	Phase III routing message
<0000 1001>	Phase IV Level 2 routing message
<0000 1011>	Phase IV broadcast circuit Router hello message
<0000 1101>	Phase IV broadcast circuit Endnode hello message

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AGGREGATE tr3msg STRUCTURE PREFIX tr3$ TAG $$;
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{
{ Define message codes -- first byte of message (DECnet calls these
{ "control flags")
{
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CONSTANT msg_init EQUALS %x01 TAG c; { "Initialization" message
CONSTANT msg_verf EQUALS %x03 TAG c; { "Verification" message
CONSTANT msg_hello EQUALS %x05 TAG c; { "Hello" message
CONSTANT msg_rout EQUALS %x07 TAG c; { "Routing" message
CONSTANT msg_data EQUALS %x02 TAG c; { Normal route-thru message
{ (without qualifiers)
CONSTANT msg_str2 EQUALS %x58 TAG c; { Phase II "Start" message
CONSTANT msg_nop2 EQUALS %x08 TAG c; { Phase II "Nop" message
```

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{
{ Define message header sizes where applicable
{
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CONSTANT hsz_data EQUALS 6 TAG c; { Normal route-thru message
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{
{ Define qualifiers to the various message codes
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{
{
qual      UNION;

qual_msg  STRUCTURE TAG $$:
msg_ctl   BITFIELD  MASK LENGTH 1;
msg_rth   BITFIELD  MASK LENGTH 1;

end qual_msg;

qual_rtrlg STRUCTURE TAG $$:
rtflg_012 BITFIELD  LENGTH 3;
rtflg_rqr BITFIELD  MASK LENGTH 1;

rtflg_rts BITFIELD  MASK LENGTH 1;

rtflg_5   BITFIELD  LENGTH 1;
rtflg_ph2 BITFIELD  MASK LENGTH 1;
rtflg_7   BITFIELD  LENGTH 1;
END qual_rtrlg;

END qual;

END tr3msg;

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{ Miscellaneous message fields

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{ Common qualifiers
{ Set on Phase III control msgs
{ - clear on all other messages
{ Set if a Phase II or III
{ route-header, clear if a
{ Phase II control message

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{ Route-header qualifiers
{ Must have the value 010
{ Set if "return-to-sender" on
{ error is requested
{ Set if message is being
{ "returned-to-sender"
{ Must be clear
{ Set if Phase II route-header
{ Must be clear

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## Phase IV Routing Message Definitions

The following is a thumbnail sketch of the possibilities for the first byte in a received message:

<000x x010>	Phase IV non-broadcast circuit route header
<00xx 0x10>	Phase IV broadcast circuit route header
<0000 1001>	Phase IV Level 2 routing message
<0000 1011>	Phase IV broadcast circuit Router hello message
<0000 1101>	Phase IV broadcast circuit Endnode hello message

AGGREGATE tr4msg STRUCTURE PREFIX tr4\$ TAG \$\$;

Define message codes -- first byte of message (DECnet calls these "control flags")

CONSTANT msg_bcrhel	EQUALS %xB TAG c;	{ Broadcast Circuit Router
		{ "Hello" message
CONSTANT msg_bcehel	EQUALS %xD TAG c;	{ Broadcast Circuit Endnode
		{ "Hello" message
		{ (without qualifiers)
CONSTANT msg_rdata	EQUALS %x02 TAG c;	{ Normal route-thru message
CONSTANT msg_ldata	EQUALS %x06 TAG c;	{ Long header data message

Define constants

CONSTANT T3MULT	EQUALS %x2 TAG c;	{ T3 multiplier
CONSTANT BCT3MULT	EQUALS %x8 TAG c;	{ Broadcast Circuit T3
		{ multiplier
CONSTANT VER_LOWW	EQUALS %x0002 TAG c;	{ Transport's version number
CONSTANT VER_HIB	EQUALS %x00 TAG c;	{ V2.0.0
CONSTANT HIORD	EQUALS %x000400AA TAG c;	{ HIORD part of node address
CONSTANT RTR_LVL1	EQUALS %x2 TAG c;	{ Level 1 router type code
CONSTANT RTR_LVL2	EQUALS %x1 TAG c;	{ Level 2 router type code
CONSTANT END_NODE	EQUALS %x3 TAG c;	{ Endnode type code
CONSTANT BCR_MID1	EQUALS %x030000AB TAG c;	{ Broadcast circuit router's
CONSTANT BCR_MID2	EQUALS %x0 TAG c;	{ multicast ID
CONSTANT BCE_MID1	EQUALS %x040000AB TAG c;	{ Broadcast circuit endnode's
CONSTANT BCE_MID2	EQUALS %x0 TAG c;	{ multicast ID
CONSTANT PRO_TYPE	EQUALS %x0360 TAG c;	{ Transports protocol type

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{ Define message header sizes where applicable
{
CONSTANT hsz_data EQUALS 21 TAG c; { BC Endnode route-thru message
{
{ Define qualifiers to message codes
{
qual UNION; { Miscellaneous message fields
    qual_rtflg STRUCTURE TAG $$; { Long Route-header
        {
            rtflg_01 BITFIELD LENGTH 2; { qualifiers
            rtflg_lng BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 1; { Must have the value 10
            rtflg_rqr BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 1; { Set if Long format message
            rtflg_rts BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 1; { Set if return-to-sender requested
            { Set if message is being
            { "returned-to-sender"
            rtflg_ini BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 1; { Set if Intra-NI message
            { (on route-thru messages)
            rtflg_ver BITFIELD LENGTH 2; { Route header version number
        END qual_rtflg;
    qual_sclass STRUCTURE TAG $$; { Long format SERVICE CLASS
        {
            sclass_metr BITFIELD LENGTH 1; { qualifiers
            sclass_1 BITFIELD LENGTH 1; { Metric - RESERVED
            sclass_ls BITFIELD LENGTH 1; { Must be clear - RESERVED
            sclass_suba BITFIELD LENGTH 1; { Load splitting - RESERVED
            sclass_bc BITFIELD LENGTH 1; { Sub Area - RESERVED
            sclass_57 BITFIELD LENGTH 3; { Broadcast - RESERVED
            { Must be clear - RESERVED
        END qual_sclass;
    qual_addr STRUCTURE TAG $$; { Node address qualifiers
        {
            addr_dest BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 10; { Destination address field
            addr_area BITFIELD MASK LENGTH 6; { Area part of node address
        END qual_addr;
    END qual;
END tr4msg;

END_MODULE $nspmsgdef ;

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